

Derek Huff

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Commerce City, CO

WORK EXPERIENCE

Solar Installer, Smart Wave

December 2024 - March 2025

- Installed solar panels on residential and rooftops, ensuring proper alignment and secure mounting
- Performed electrical wiring connections for solar panel systems, adhering to industry safety standards
- Collaborated with project managers to develop installation plans and schedules, ensuring timely completion of projects
- Assembled and tested solar panel components prior to installation, troubleshooting any issues or defects
- Provided training and guidance to junior installers on proper techniques for panel mounting and electrical connections

Handy man/contractor, Smart Wave

January 2010 - August 2024

- Performed a wide range of maintenance and repair tasks, including plumbing, electrical work, carpentry, and painting
- Managed inventory of tools, equipment, and supplies to ensure availability for various projects
- Installed fixtures such as ceiling fans, light switches, faucets, toilets, shelving units, etc
- Assisted with landscaping tasks including planting trees/shrubs/flowers, mulching beds, and mowing lawns
- Assembled furniture items from pre-fabricated kits according to manufacturer instructions
- Repaired or replaced damaged drywall or flooring materials as needed

Builder, Tuff

January 2022 - January 2023

- Operated power tools such as saws, drills, and nail guns to cut and shape wood materials
- Constructed and assembled wooden structures, including walls, floors, and roofs, according to blueprints and specifications
- Maintained a clean work area by removing debris and waste materials regularly
- Measured and marked cutting lines on materials using rulers, squares, or marking gauges

Order Selector/Picker, Americold Logistics-Denver

January 2022 - April 2022

- Efficiently picked and packed customer orders according to order specifications
- Operated forklifts and other material handling equipment to transport items within the warehouse
- Worked collaboratively with shipping department to prepare orders for shipment, including labeling and palletizing products as required
- Adhered strictly to all safety regulations while operating machinery such as forklifts or pallet jacks
- Picked products from various temperature zones (ambient/cold/frozen) based on specific storage requirements

Field Service Tech -, Weecycle Environmental Consulting, LLC

August 2012 - May 2014

- Storage, disposal and familiarity with several common materials which require specific and varying protocol for handling
- Sampling and analyzing materials microscopically for the presence of asbestos in order to compose the report describing best practices in abatement and disposal
- Hazardous materials, testing, and management for the writing of engineering controls for abatement crews.
- Experience with materials such as lead, asbestos, mold, methamphetamine, radon, arsenic, and various other heavy metals and toxic hazards that can be common in residential and commercial building remodels and demolition.
- Managed inventory efficiently to ensure optimal stock levels and reduce waste.
- Delivered exceptional customer service to enhance client satisfaction and foster loyalty.
- Conducted detailed inspections to ensure compliance with safety and quality standards.

Shipping and Receiving, Stone

January 2009 - February 2011

- Managed shipping and receiving operations, ensuring accurate and timely processing of all incoming and outgoing shipments
- Trained new employees on proper shipping procedures, safety protocols, and equipment operation
- Coordinated with carriers to schedule pickups and deliveries, ensuring on-time shipments while minimizing transportation costs

EDUCATION

Boulder Preparatory High

2004-2008

High school diploma

SKILLS

Assembly Line, Blueprint Reading, Carpentry, Distribution Center, Dry Wall Hanging, Electricity, Facilities Maintenance, Flooring Installation, Forklift Certification, Forklift Experience, Furniture, Hand Tools, Heavy Lifting, Landscape Maintenance, Landscaping, Order Picker, Order Picking, Painting, Pallet Jack Driver, Palletizer, Plumbing, Power Tools, Prefabricating, Property Maintenance, Roofing, Shipping and Receiving, Shrubbery, Stocking, Trucking, Wood Manufacturing

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

Electric Pallet Jack Certification

Forklift Certification

Pallet Jack Certification

Certificate in Entrepreneurship and business management

2023

Hazardous materials general safety

2014

Lead based paint management

2014